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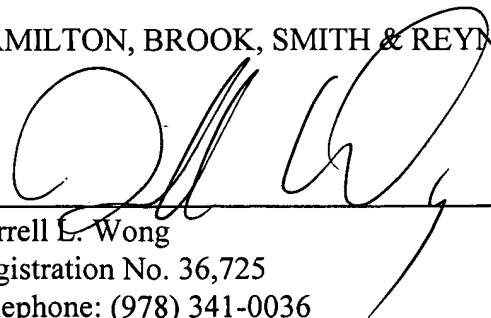
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Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated May 26, 2005, the claims of Group I (Claims 1-8) drawn to an extendable arm, and a storage system with an extendable arm are elected for prosecution. Applicant reserves the right to file a continuing application or take such other appropriate action as deemed necessary to protect the non-elected inventions. Applicant does not hereby abandon or waive any rights in the non-elected inventions.

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